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SUBJ: SOLAR ENERGY CONFERENCE

REF: STATE 304100

1. SCIATT ADVISED BY ARAB LEAGUE EDUCATIONAL, CULTURAL AND SCIENTIFIC ORGANIZATION(ALECSO) ASS'T DIR. GEN. FOR SCIENCE, MOHAMED EL KASSAS THAT A MEETING OF AN INTERNAL ALECSO PANEL OF ENERGY EXPERTS WAS HELD IN CAIRO LATE NOV. '76 TO LOOK INTO POSSIBILITIES FOR SOLAR ENERGY APPLICATIONS IN ARAB STATES. THERE WAS NO GENERAL CONFERENCE ON SOLAR ENERGY. PANEL REPORT WILL BE AVAILABLE LATER THROUGH ALECSO.

2. DR. KASSAS SAID THAT PANEL CONSIDERED IMPLEMENTATION OF AUG. '76 CASTARAB CONFERENCE SOLAR ENERGY RECOMMENDATION WHICH CALLED FOR ESTABLISHMENT AND SUPPORT OF NATIONAL CENTERS FOR SOLAR ENERGY RESEARCH TO EMPHASIZE SOLAR HEATING/COOLING, DESALINATION, WATER PUMPING, ELECTRICITY PRODUCTION, DRYING AND STORAGE. SPECIFIC DEVELOPMENT OF TWO PILOT PROJECTS IN SOLAR VILLAGES AND DESALINATION WERE ALSO CALLED FOR IN CASTARAB REPORT.  
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